



North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board

Resolution No. R1-2006-0026
Expressing Appreciation to

Richard D. Grundy

WHEREAS, The members of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region, wish to thank Richard D. Grundy for his service to the people of the State of California as a Regional Water Board member; and

WHEREAS, on November 1st, 2001, Richard was appointed to a Water Quality seat of the Regional Water Board, and as a former staff member of the U.S. Senate, Richard used his experience drafting the Clean Water Act to guide decisions affecting water quality on the North Coast; and

WHEREAS, Richard led the initiative to recognize state and federal anti-degradation policies as the cornerstone of the North Coast Region's water quality protection program, resulting in the Board's adoption of the Anti-Degradation objective in the Basin Plan; and

WHEREAS, Richard is a staunch supporter of pathogen standards, and stringent permits for the region, and during the 2004 Triennial Review of the Basin Plan, provided valuable input and insight, assisting statewide efforts to develop freshwater bacteria objectives and supporting a federal contract to develop a stream and wetland policy; and

WHEREAS, Richard has an eye for detail which assured precise drafting of language and accuracy in the Board's minutes; and

WHEREAS, Richard's wife Jamie attended every Board meeting, including memorable ones of marathon duration. We will miss them both very much. Their humor, kindness and wisdom enriched the Board.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the members of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, North Coast Region, express their sincere appreciation to Richard D. Grundy for his service to the people of the State of California. The Board wishes Richard success in his future endeavors, from protecting water quality to growing orchids.

John Corbett

Gerald Cochran

William Massey

Beverly Wasson

Heidi Harris

Teejay Lowe

Robert Anderson